

## EIGHT MILLION TONS OF COAL PRODUCED IN THE NINTH DISTRICT.

**Mine Inspector Thomas D. Williams Completes His Annual Report to State Department.**

6,564.134 TONS MADE INTO COKE

There Were Thirty Three Fatal Accidents In the Mines, Thirty-One Wives Made Widows and Fifty-Three Children Orphaned—District Was Divided During Year.

(Thomas D) Williams, Mine Inspector of the Ninth Bituminous district, today completed his report to the State Department of Mines, which shows that there was a total production of coal in this district during 1907 of 7,412,340 tons, of which 564,119 tons were made into coke products.

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Mr William's district extends from Connellsville to Brownsville. In this district there have been a number of accidents in which several men have been killed at one time, and it is believed that the fatal accidents will be closed last year's report for these mines.

There has been somewhat of an increase in machine mining during the year. This method of mining is slow, is being adopted by the operators, may in time become the general method of mining.

**MILK IS GOOD.**  
Report of the Agricultural Department  
on Quality In Connellsville.

The report of the quality of milk furnished by the dairymen of Connellsville made from samples taken some time ago by James McGehee, a special agent of the U. S. Department of Agriculture, has been returned to Health Officer Allen David McGehee states that the report is complimentary to the dairymen of Connellsville. The report details as follows:

Dairyman	Butter Fat
Frank Wilson	100 pure
W. E. Robinson	100 pure
Davis cream	100 pure
Davis milk	100 pure
Ben Wilson	100 pure
John Jones	100 pure
C. Case	100 pure
A. S. Hales	100 pure
A. B. Rhodes	100 pure
Edna H. H. milk	100 pure
Edna H. H. cream	100 pure
Frank H. H. milk	100 pure
W. L. H. H. milk	100 pure
W. L. H. H. cream	100 pure

**MANY TRUANTS.**

**Constable Joseph Crossland Has a Big List to Look Up Every Morning**

Constable Joseph Crossland has been very busy the past week chasing thugs & rascals. This morning he had a list of about ten absent young fellows and about every morning dur

ing the past week has had from fifteen to twenty pupils to look up.

Coasting and skating is given as the reason for the children's absence from school. He thinks that there will not be so much of it since the thawing weather and giving thanks is ordingly.

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**School Board Meeting**  
The Councilville township School Board held a regular meeting last evening. Only routine business was transacted. Bills amounting to about \$100 were ordered paid. The schools of the township are making fine progress. It is hoped

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**SAVING LIVES** Feb. 11.—B. P. Buckley, Jr., has been saving business at Uniontown yesterday.

Minist Young of Pt. Marion was here yesterday on business for the Star-Gazette Company.

Mr. O'Neill was a business visitor to the County seat yesterday afternoon.

John C. Hays, a member of the distinguished little outfit for the Star-Gazette Command, was down from Pt. Marion yesterday, visiting the January 6th battle site that commands their present headquarters here.

Joe Bonbraker of Uniontown town-ship, was down from the town for a packing claim for a damage for sheep killed by dogs last Saturday. He and his wife were outlight and one badly wounded.

J. D. Moore and wife were Uniontown visitors yesterday.

C. D. Young was a business visitor to the County seat yesterday.

J. T. Ruble of Ruble was a business visitor to the County seat yesterday.

Henry Jennings, a hunting lodge politician from Immortal Springfield, was in the city on business in Uniontown yesterday.

Constable I. M. Abraham of this borough was in College today in business.

Harry Egan of Uniontown was 10 days' night attending a meeting of Odd Fellows at the city.

James M. Stewart from out R. P. D. No. 6 was a Uniontown visitor yesterday.

Alfred O'Neill of Celottery, If C. Mcintosh, Pittsburgh, and L. Lane, Allegheny, B. Whitlock of the Postal Telegraph, Washington, D. C., and J. H. Moore of Louisville, were telegraphed at Hickory Hill yesterday.

Edward is a son-in-law of A. S. Edwards is a son-in-law with some in trouble.

The telephone company suffered great damage in this city by the recent rain storm. A full company had 21 poles blown down by the wind and rain. The poles of the full State did not have one pole blown down. It is accounted for by the fact of the full State poles being made of steel, while the 11 years ago having, since then, that twice as long as the full State poles before they were broken and carried away. The poles of the full State were blown out, each other by a wind and lightning on each side of the poles. The poles of the full State company had most of the damage by the poles of the full company being blown out. The poles of the full company were blown out, then the wires from the poles of the full company before the storm is fully restored on the line.

Some owners of sheep meant sheep in Nicholson on top of the town yesterday. The sheep flowed the town.

**DAWSON.**

DAWSON, Feb. 12.—Miss M. M. Hill is visiting the city with her sister, Miss M. L. Hill, of the city.

C. O. Smith is a new resident in the city.

John Campbell is a well known farmer of Philadelphia, Pa., is expected to come to the city with his family to look at the new house he has built in the city.

W. H. H. is a new resident in the city.

The city is now in a very good condition.

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## NEWS OF SCOTSDALE.

**Practical Charity of the U. B. Christian Endeavor Society.**

**WORK RESUMED ON FURNACE.**

Lively Doings Are Promised at Election in Mill Town Next Tuesday. Patrons' Day at the Public Schools February 21.

SCOTSDALE Feb. 12.—The Intermediate Department of the Christian Endeavor Society of the United Brethren church, has been doing some very good work for those in need. Special efforts have been taken and a committee of the children has been appointed to distribute the same. A meeting was held and they decided to send a bill of groceries to an elderly family that was recommended by one of their number. The bill of goods consisted of the necessities in the grocery line, was made out by the children and turned over to the grocer to deliver. This is the kind of practical work in charity that will help the children as well as those in need.

The work of tearing down the old furnace stack of the Scottdale plant of Corliss, McKinney & Company was resumed in force yesterday after a let-up on account of the bad weather of the past week. The furnace stack is now coming down rapidly while the boiler house boilers and other equipment are being taken down as fast as men can do the work. It will be several weeks before the place will be ready to rebuild the plant. The present work of destruction is for the purpose of building a larger plant.

The Street Commissioner has had some men on the streets during the past two days opening up the water tables and sewers to let the surface water from the melting snow and ice escape. The fact that he has been so much busy has not been a great loss to the city. The average parent is not sorry, as there is always the possibility of some of the children being brought home crippled from a skating accident. It was considerable of a day's work for some of the doctors. The Political Bureau has been very busy for the past few days, and promises some things for the coming week. Some things may be true and some may not, but if the rumors are correct there will be lots of doing in the 18th. As a rule, things do not often happen as fast as they are expected to happen, unless it is the unexpected that happens. Some people are on the anxious bench just now. It is now rumored that W. L. Shaffer in the third and W. G. Cope in the first will be independent candidates for council on the 18th.

One of the features of the display at the Scottdale plant, which will be held on February 21, will be the exhibit of work done in the manual training department and sewing department. These departments to be made important ones and in which stress is being placed on the work. Wood working and sewing is done with good results. These are the departments where the real practical work is done. The kind of work that will find a market in making a living.

Alfred Mills of Uniontown visited yesterday for Uniontown to visit his sister. Mrs. P. P. Rush after spending a few days visiting his uncle A. J. Kols or J. D. Sisler was a business visitor to Pittsburgh yesterday.

Mrs. L. R. Strawn of West Newton and Mrs. Elvira Mathis of Uniontown have been spending a few days visiting their sister Mrs. George B. Shupe. Mrs. P. P. Divins are at it joining over the arrival of a son at their home on Pittsburgh street.

Scottdale was well represented last night at the Solisson Theatre in Connelville. Rev. H. W. Miller and Rev. L. C. Kunkle left yesterday for Washington, D. C. to attend the National Christian Education Convention.

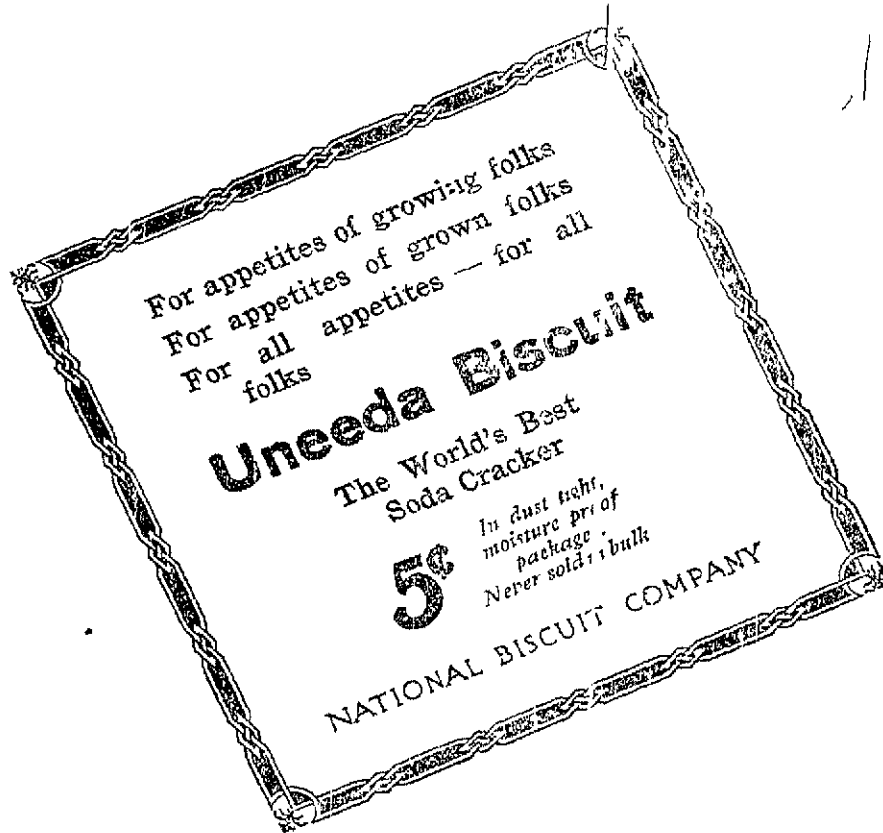
Miss Margaret McClary, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Metcalf, died at her home on Hickory street yesterday forenoon. Funeral services will be held at the late residence, this day afternoon at 2 o'clock, followed by interment in the Scottdale cemetery.

Miss McClary was 21 years of age and had been afflicted with the loss of her hearing for several days, according to the report of Dr. N. E. Shier, who is the Registrar of Scottdale and East Huntingdon township. He was 13 months and five deaths in the borough during the month of January and 26 births and 1 death in the township.

The melting snow caused Pittsburg street to resemble a small river for several hours yesterday afternoon. The ice and snow on the street helped to make trouble for those who wished to cross the street.

Grand Jury Ignores Charges. GRENSBURG Pa. Feb. 12.—(Special)—The Grand Jury ignored the charges against Joseph Mize and George Ketterling formerly employed in the Pittsburg Coal Company who were accused of criminal negligence. The charges were made by Inspector John J. Bell of the 11th Pittsburg Police.

Have you tried our crosshatched and



## THEATRICAL.

Arnold Daly Will Be at the New Solisson Theatre Tomorrow Evening.

Tomorrow evening Arnold Daly and his company of players will appear at the Solisson Theatre. The company consists of the following: Arnold Daly, Harry Metcalf, George Ketterling, and others. The play to be presented is "The World's Best Soda Cracker".



Arnold Daly

Arnold Daly is a noted actor and his performance in "The World's Best Soda Cracker" is expected to be a great success.

The play has been distributed by the National Christian Education Convention. The play is a well-known work of New York, which has been distributed by the National Christian Education Convention.

A Good Fellow. The first National Night at the Good Fellowship Theatre, which will be held on February 12, will be the exhibit of work done in the manual training department and sewing department.

Chasing Rainbows. Lives and Fortunes Wasted in Seeking the Unattainable. Those who have spent their entire lives in trying to make a fortune out of nothing, or to construct a machine that would run perpetually, and turn its own power, they have not been successful. The successful man doesn't chase rainbows. He chases dollars and when he rounds up a few he puts them in a strong box, and keeps them there.

Illegal Liquor Selling. John C. Smith of Smithfield was arrested by the county jail yesterday for selling liquor in the county jail. The charge was made by Inspector John J. Bell of the 11th Pittsburg Police.

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## KILLING DOGS.

Unde Latest Act Controllable Are Paid 50 Cent A Head for Killing Canines.

Under the new act, the county commissioners have decided to pay 50 cents a head for the killing of dogs. The act is intended to reduce the number of dogs in the county and to protect the public from the danger of dog bites.

The act provides that any person who kills a dog shall be entitled to a reward of 50 cents. The act also provides that any person who keeps a dog without a license shall be fined \$10. The act is intended to reduce the number of dogs in the county and to protect the public from the danger of dog bites.

## DOUBLE FUNERAL.

Miss Mary Gallagher Dies at Uniontown in the House Where Her Brother Lies Dead.

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## THE EVOLUTION.

Of the Latest and Most Valuable Form of the Evolution of the Human Race.

The evolution of the human race is a process that has been going on for millions of years. It is a process that has led to the development of the human mind and the human body.

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WEEK OF FEBRUARY 10th.

The best show that ever came to Connelville, and the price is only... 5c

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The time has arrived when Winter Shoes must move. Spring is coming and with it all the new styles and weights for warmer weather. And knowing that in new shoes we have a new every pair of shoes in this store is a price that will soon carry them away.

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A New Brick for an Old One—How It Is Done in Connelville.

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"GOLLY—'AN' I'NT THE MAN O' THE HOUR?"  
"NANA—YES, NANA—'I'ZAT—SIR."

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fected by Rule.

**SOME MEN HAVE BEEN DISMISSED**

At Cumberland and Others Have Been  
Warned—Discussion as to Rights of  
the Men While They Are Off Duty.

Special to The Courier.  
CUMBERLAND, Md., Feb. 11.—Ev-  
ery drinking man who has employ-  
ment in the transportation department  
of the Baltimore & Ohio railroad has  
been somewhat stirred up by the pos-  
sitive aggressive policy recently inau-  
gurated by the railroad company on  
the subject. Not only the men who  
are in the habit of getting tipsy have  
become anxious, but men who drink  
with more or less moderation are tak-  
ing notice of the signs of the times.  
The order recently issued by the com-  
pany to the effect that trainmen, en-  
gineers, conductors and others engaged  
in the movement of trains shall  
not drink intoxicants at any time, on  
or off the road, was not taken as ac-  
cidentally at first as it is being taken  
since the company officials are giving  
evidence that they mean to enforce  
the order. In the past ten days sev-  
eral ordinarily sober men have been  
warned not to be soon drinking. It is  
reported among the men that detec-  
tives are everywhere watching them.  
Several men who thought their posi-  
tions were perfectly safe have been  
suspended on different parts of the  
system. Only last Saturday an en-  
gineer was met near the Queen City de-  
pot by one of the officials of the road.  
The official saw from close observa-  
tion that the man had been drinking.  
The man was not working that day,  
but the official is said to have promp-  
tly ordered the man's dismissal from  
the service, although he had always  
been regarded as a good engineer and  
one against whom there were no com-  
plaints.

This matter is much discussed and  
many of the railroad men and their  
friends take the prompt discharge as  
an example from which other men are  
expected to take warning. It is be-  
lieved that while Legislatures and as-  
sociations, civic, political and reli-  
gious are still wrestling with the ques-  
tion of preventing intemperance in  
the use of intoxicants, the railroad  
companies have decided for econom-  
ic reasons to solve the problem for  
themselves by making nominal total  
abstinence a condition necessary to  
 lucrative employment. Some of the  
men who are in the habit of taking  
beverages occasionally, but who never  
drink to excess, insist that while the  
employers may have a right to say  
what the men shall and shall not do  
while they are on duty, they are tres-  
passing upon a man's personal, indi-  
vidual rights when they attempt to  
dictate to him when he is not on  
duty.

The company officials claim that a  
railroad man, once engaged in the  
transportation department, which has  
to do with the movement of trains, is  
on duty all the time, unless he is sus-  
pended or on a furlough. The train-  
men, engineers and others, the offi-  
cials say, are subject to call at any  
moment unless they report off and  
are excused. And since they are sub-  
ject to the company's call, the offi-  
cials contend, the company interferes  
with no man's private right, when it  
lays down the rule that the employ-  
ment must not partake of intoxicants when  
the company is liable to depend upon  
them for work that requires the best  
condition of body and mind. At pres-  
ent the company can enforce this rule  
as positive as its officials please to  
do without endangering the efficiency  
of the service.

Just now the company has plenty  
of men. They are especially well  
supplied with engineers and they can  
suspend and discharge as much as  
they please. At the same time posi-  
tions on railroads are not as easy to  
get, and men are willing to do more  
to keep their employment now than  
at other times. It is an opportune  
time to introduce any rule and make  
it effective. By spring, it is believed,  
the company expects to have all men  
of questionable habits either cured or  
out of the service entirely.

**TO IMPROVE COUNTRY ROADS.**

Washington County Grand Jury Au-  
thorizes the Expenditure.

WASHINGTON, Pa., Feb. 12.—  
(Special.)—The Washington County  
Grand Jury yesterday morning ap-  
proved improvements to the Williams-  
port pike which, if carried out, will  
entail the expenditure of \$175,000.  
The pike extends from Washington to  
Mcconaghela, 18 miles.

It was formerly a private turnpike  
which was turned over to the town  
ships through which it passed and  
more recently became county prop-  
erty.

Mine Fire About Controlled.  
UNIONTOWN, Feb. 12.—The fire in  
the Century mine, near Brownsville,  
is almost under control and the com-  
pany officials say it is practically con-  
fined in the new workings in a small  
cave and will not spread further.  
The fire is battled off with perma-  
nent brattices of brick and cement.

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Sale Positively Opens Friday, Feb. 14, at 9 A. M.

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**Merchandise**

for Men, Women and Children to be  
placed on sale Friday, February 14,  
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**Unexpected Obligations Demanded on Short Notice**

forces us to raise a large sum of money in less than 10 days, and in order to raise this large amount of cash quick, we must sacrifice our entire stock of High Grade Merchandise at less than the actual cost to manufacture, this gives the people of Connellsville and surrounding country the greatest money saving sale ever inaugurated in this part of the country. We are remarking and rearranging the stock. Our building is now closed and will remain closed until Friday, February 14, at 9 A. M., when our entire stock of High Grade Merchandise will be placed on sale to be sold at retail at less than the actual cost to manufacture, in our large building, PITTSBURG STREET, CONNELLSVILLE, PA.

Nothing reserved, everything  
will be placed on sale.

**Values at the Mercy of the Public.**

Sale Starts Friday, Feb. 14, at 9 A. M.

Stock must be turned into  
cash. There is 8 days only.

We advise you to take advantage of this Great Money-Raising Sale as it will last only 8 days. Call soon as possible as the tremendous sacrifices that will be made will move the goods rapidly. Values not considered—goods almost given away. This will positively be the greatest money-raising sale every held or heard of in this vicinity.

**No Postponement Sale Positively Opens Friday, Feb. 14, and Closes in 8 Selling Days****OUR GUARANTEE.**

We assure each and every purchaser absolute satisfaction. We guarantee every garment, every piece of goods and every statement herein made, and will take back, exchange or refund your money for any purchase unsatisfactory during this sale.

**Below We Quote a Few of the MANY THOUSANDS OF BARGAINS to Be Had:**

Men's Suits.	Men's and Boys' Shoes	Ladies' Coats.	Dry Goods.	Men's Furnishings.
Men's fine Suits, mixtures and blacks, worth \$7.50 and \$8.50, at \$3.78	Men's fine 6 Season Men's Shoes, all leathers, sizes and styles, at \$2.95	Ladies' Coats, all colors, worth \$7 to \$12, at \$1.00	Cotton Cheviot for ladies' and children's dresses, worth 18c, at 9c	Men's fleece lined and ribbed underwear, worth 50c, at 33c
Men's all wool Suits, worth \$9, \$10.50 and \$12.50, at \$4.85	Men's Shoes in patent cut or gun metal, worth \$4, at \$2.45	Ladies' Capes, in kersey, broadcloth and velvet, worth \$5 to \$8, at \$1.00	Flannelware of the best quality, worth 10c, at 6c	Boys' Outing Flannel Night Shirts, worth 50c, at 29c
Men's fine Dress Suits, worth \$13.50, \$16 and \$18.50, at \$6.40	Men's patent cut and gun metal shoes, worth \$2.75, \$3 and \$3.25, at \$1.95	Ladies' Long Coats, all colors and sizes, worth \$12 to \$20, at \$4.95	Outing Flannel, in fancy colors, worth 15c, at 9c	Boys' Dress Shirts, worth 50c, at 12c
Men's strictly all wool fine Dress Suits, worth \$18.50, \$20 and \$22.50, at \$9.60	Men's Good Street and Work Shoes, worth \$1.50, at 98c	Ladies' Long Coats, all colors and sizes, worth \$12.50 to \$10, at \$1.95	Calicoes in large and small designs, worth 8c, at 5c	Boys' and Children's Winter Caps, worth 50c, at 12c
<b>Men's Overcoats</b>	Boys' fine Dress or School Shoes, worth \$2 and \$2.50, at \$1.53	Children's Coats, made of bear skin and astrakhan, all colors, ages 2 to 6 years, at \$1.00	Unbleached Muslin, full 36 inch wide, worth 9c, only, at 6c	Boys' and Girls' Bear Skin Tamo-Shunters, worth \$1.50, at 53c
Men's Overcoats, in black and blue, all lengths, worth \$7.50 and \$9.00, at \$3.78	Boys' extra fine Dress Shoes, worth \$3 and \$3.50, at \$1.88	Children's Coats, made of bear skin and astrakhan, worth \$1, at \$2.00	#1 Bleached Sheet, worth 28c, only, at 28c	Men's White Shirts, Monarch brand, sizes 14, 16, 16½ and 17, worth \$1, at 68c
Men's Overcoats, fine quality, worth \$9.50, \$10 and \$12.50, at \$4.87	<b>Ladies' and Misses' Shoes</b>	Ladies' Coats, in astrakhan, Scotch plaids and fur mixtures, worth \$1, at \$2.00	#1 Unbleached Sheet, worth 32c, only, at 26c	Men's and Boys' Blue Flannel Shirts, worth \$1, at 69c
Men's Overcoats, the latest styles, worth \$12.50, \$15 and \$16.50, at \$6.45	Sports Shoes in all leathers, and 20c, at \$1.95	Ladies' Robes, in all colors, no black, worth \$12.50 to \$18.50, at \$4.95	Ladies' Wrappers, all sizes, worth \$1.50, only, at 68c	Men's all wool Underwear, worth \$1, at 67c
Men's Overcoats, the latest styles, worth \$12.50, \$15 and \$16.50, at \$6.45	Ladies' Shoes, suitable for street wear, worth \$1, at \$1.69	Ladies' Robes, in all colors, no black, worth \$12.50 to \$18.50, at \$4.95	Dress Gingham, worth 15c, only, at 9c	Men's all wool Underwear, worth \$2.25, at \$1.48
Men's Overcoats, the latest styles and lengths, worth \$17.50, \$20 and \$22.50, at \$8.70	Misses' fine cloth Shoes, worth \$1.75 and \$2, at \$1.22	Ladies' Robes, in gray only, worth \$6.50 to \$10, at \$1.95	Apron Gingham, worth 12½c, only, at 7c	Men's all wool Blue Flannel Shirts, worth \$2.25, at \$1.39
<b>Boys' Suits.</b>	Misses' Fine Dress Shoes, worth \$2.25 and \$2.50, at \$1.45	Black Satin Petticoats, worth \$1.50 and \$2, at 88c	Unbleached Muslin, worth 12c, only, at 7½c	Boys' all wool Sweaters, worth \$1.25, at 66c
Boys' fine Two-Piece Suits, worth \$2 and \$4.50, at 96c	<b>Boys' Overcoats</b>	Black Satin Vests, all sizes, worth \$1.50 and \$2, at 86c	Bleached Muslin, worth 12c, only, at 7½c	Men's all wool Sweaters, worth \$3, at \$1.70
Boys' fine all wool Suits, worth \$2.50 and \$4.50, at \$1.58	Boys' Overcoats, sizes 3 to 10 years, worth 2 and \$2.50, at 98c	Four Neck Pieces, worth \$1 and \$2.00, at 78c	Bleached Muslin, worth 15c, only, at 10½c	Men's all wool Union Suits, worth \$3, at \$1.96
Boys' Suits, sizes 3 to 17 years, worth \$5 and \$6.50, at \$2.40	Boys' fine Overcoats, all sizes, worth \$3.50 and \$4.50, at \$1.78	<b>Remnants.</b>	Ladies' Fleece Lined Underwear, all sizes, worth 35c, at 16c	Men's Outing Flannel Night Shirts, worth \$1.50, at 72c
Boys' Suits, sizes 3 to 17 years, worth \$6.50 and \$7, at \$3.38	Boys' Overcoats, all sizes and colors, worth \$4, \$6.50 and \$7.50, at \$2.85	Remnants of Dress Good, Silks, Gingham, Cotton Flannel, All dress fabrics and Calicoes.	Ladies' Fleece Lined Underwear, all sizes, worth 35c, at 18c	Men's Dress and Negligee Shirts, worth \$1.50 and \$2, at 95c
			Ladies' Cotton Fleece Lined Hose, worth 15c, only, at 12c	Children's Fleece Lined Hose, worth 15c, only, at 12c
				Children's Supporters, black only, worth 15c, at 9c

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## ABRAHAM LINCOLN'S BIRTHDAY OBSERVED THROUGHOUT COUNTRY.

New York and Chicago Will Have Distinguished Speakers  
at Banquets That Will Be Held This Evening.

### KNOX AND DOLIVER TO SPEAK

At the Chamber of Commerce Dinner  
at Pittsburgh—Day Is Generally Ob-  
served as a Holiday in All Parts of  
the United States

Special to The Courier

**NEW YORK Feb. 12.**—The banks, exchange, courts and other institutions were closed here today in honor of Lincoln's birthday. Dinners and receptions under the auspices of the various patriotic societies were held in many parts of the city. Among the organizations holding banquets tonight were the Kentucky Society of New York, the National Democratic Club, the Kentucky Society of New York, the Independence League.

**CHICAGO Feb. 12.**—While there was no official celebration in this city today, it was generally observed as a holiday. The banks and all public institutions were closed for the day. Two United States Senators and other notable men are on the list of speakers.

the speakers will be Governor Deneen, Attorney General Stead and Superintendent of Public Instruction Blinn. **PITTSBURGH Feb. 12.**—In this city today Lincoln's birthday was observed by a general suspension of business. Senator Knox of Iowa, Senator Carter of Montana and others of national prominence are to be heard at the Lincoln banquet at the Chamber of Commerce.

**DENVER Colo. Feb. 12.**—Lincoln's birthday was observed by a general suspension of business. A public holiday was made in connection with the celebration of the centennial of the birth of the great emancipator. The city committee has arranged for the singing of the national anthem and the County Chairman contributed to the cost of the celebration. The Republican editors also participated in the celebration.

The party leaders will attend a Lincoln banquet at the Albany hotel to night. The night before Governor Hopper will give a speech and Governor Bennett will deliver the chief address.

**WABASH Ind. Feb. 12.**—Many other Republicans with Lincoln to day for the first time. The celebration of which will continue over a long period of time in this city.



ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

The sixteenth president of the United States was born in Hard county, Ky., in 1799 and was assassinated by John Wilkes Booth at Washington April 14, 1865, shortly after beginning his second term as president. He was elected for many years to Congress and served one term in each case. He was the first successful candidate of the new Republican party. His greatest work was the preservation of the Union by defeating the Confederacy in a four years' war, an incident of which was his proclamation of emancipation for all slaves and the final settlement of the slavery problem of the nation.

ers for the Marquette Club's annual banquet at the Auditorium Annex to night. Present Senators B. V. Hendon of Indiana and Piles of Washington Congressmen, including Ames of Massachusetts, has S. Osborn of Michigan and William L. McBrien of Nebraska. The Hamilton Club also has arranged a banquet at which the Hon. S. Osborn and chief speaker will be Secretary of the Interior James R. Gifford.

**GRAND RAPIDS Mich. Feb. 12.**—This was a big day for the Republicans of Michigan in general and of Grand Rapids in particular. The presence of Secretary Taft, a meeting of the State committee to arrange for the coming State convention and the annual gathering of the State League of Republican Clubs have combined to attract to the city the largest number of party leaders ever seen here except on the occasions of the State nominating conventions.

Of the three events, public interest centered chiefly in the Lincoln banquet tonight under the auspices of the State League of Republican Clubs at which Secretary Taft is to be the guest of honor and principal speaker. The Secretary of War, Richard T. A. Smith, today and was given a rousing reception. For the greater part of the day he held an informal reception at the Union House and was kept busy shaking hands with the Republican leaders of Michigan.

Arrangements on a most elaborate scale have been made for the banquet, which in addition to Secretary Taft will include a number of speakers, including Mr. Jones and the French Ambassador. A large number of Illinois Governor John C. Olden, of Massachusetts and Governor Warren of Michigan.

**SPRINGFIELD Ill. Feb. 12.**—The home city of Abraham Lincoln observed his birthday anniversary by keeping a general holiday. Memorial exercises were held in the Lincoln tomb under the auspices of the local G. A. R. tonight at Sangamon Club, held its customary banquet, at which

### AGREE IN WRITING.

New Rule on Courtship and Marriage to Be Enforced in Catholic Church

Cardinal Gibbons will shortly issue an announcement which will prohibit a Catholic priest from marrying a woman who is already married. This is in regard to the rule which the church regards so highly and insists upon having in strict observance. The priest, according to the rule, which will be promulgated at some future date, will be forbidden to marry a woman who has been divorced, or a woman who has been married and then divorced, or a woman who has been married and then divorced and then married again. This rule is in accordance with the teaching of the church and is intended to protect the sanctity of marriage.

This order of restriction, as it is called, has leaked out in Philadelphia. Archbishop Ryan's decision was to the effect that a priest who marries a divorced woman is guilty of a mortal sin and that the church should have no communion with him. This is a very serious matter and is intended to be a warning to all priests who are considering such a course of action.



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Were \$15, \$17.50 and \$20

**ORDINARILY** nine dollars and ninety-five cents does not buy a very good suit of Men's Clothing, but the circumstances that bring about this sale increases the purchasing power of your dollar to more than double in some cases. It's just this way---we've about four hundred suits that regularly sell at from \$15 to \$20. Every suit absolutely correct in style, workmanship and tailoring---not a thing wrong with them. If a man needs a suit of clothes he is bound to be attracted to this sale. There isn't a man in this section but that knows how superior in style, fabric and finish are Wright-Metzler clothes. Not a man but that knows how careful we are never to exaggerate a value, and when we tell you that the clothing we will put on sale at \$9.95 is worth from \$15 to \$20 we mean just what we say and will prove it to you when you come. We will tell you with all the emphasis in our power that you'll not find a suit in the entire lot of nearly four hundred that is out of style or wrong in any way. We've simply got too many suits at these prices and our policy of absolute clearance each season demands radical action in its accomplishment. So

Beginning Saturday, February  
15th we will sell this clothing at

**\$9.95**

**THIS** sale offers you clothing in double and single breasted models. Trousers cut full in conformity with fashions demand. Coats have hand moulded shoulders, close fitting collars, perfect draping garments. Exactly like the suit we picture in the upper left corner of this advertisement. Don't put off coming to this sale, for there are plenty of men just waiting for this sort of an announcement from us. We're going to have a crowd here Saturday. We're going to sell a lot of suits. This is positively the final price cut we will offer this season. We'll fill our windows with these suits so that you can easily see the style and fabrics, the quality and tailoring. A glance will tell you that this advertisement has underestimated rather than exaggerated their worth. You'll see clothing that forms a perfect bargain value---correct style---worthy fabrics, perfect tailoring and a phenomenally lowered price.

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